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## Get the hang of something

to learn to do something well

- Idioms are actually fun once you **get the hang of them**.
- Soon, you will **get the hang of the language** and you will be able to express yourself very well.

## Get the picture

to understand a situation

- A: Tom, can I borrow some money?
- B: I'm afraid I can't lend you any money. I lost my job and I'm behind on rent already.
- A: Say no more, I **get the picture**.
- I get, I get, I **get the picture**, I know. I see what's going on here, okay?

## Get the wrong end of the stick Get hold of the wrong end of the stick

to misunderstand something

- That's not what I meant. You **got the wrong end of the stick**, Jack. I didn't mean to insult you.
- So, you see how easily people could **get the wrong end of the stick** from Jesus' teaching here.



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## Get your head around something

to start to understand something

- At first people laughed at him because they couldn't **get their head around what he was trying to tell them.**
- And then you say something I can't quite **get my head around.**
- I just couldn't **get my head around it.**

## Go in one ear and out the other

to not pay attention to what's being said

- I've told him so many times. It's just **goes in one ear and out the other.**
- It's almost like it **goes in one ear and out the other** and we go back into automatic pilot.

## A gray area

not clear, falls between two categories

- Downloading music from the internet has always been **a gray area.**
- I think that the message from the statement yesterday was extremely clear. I don't think it was **a gray area;** It was pretty black and white.